

Promises of God

23. Peace



Philippians 4:7 "And the peace of God, which passeth all understanding, shall keep your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus."

Meaning: Peace is quietness, rest, or setting at one again. The kind of peace God gives is the kind that "passeth all understanding" (Philippians 4:7). The world cannot understand how a Christian can be so undisturbed in this chaotic world, but we know it is because of God. It has been written this way, "Know God, know peace; no God, no peace."

Application: To have the peace of God, you must have peace with God. We get peace with God when we accept Jesus Christ as our Saviour (Romans 5:1). We get the peace of God through "prayer and supplication with thanksgiving" (Philippians 4:6). If we are going to experience the peace God promises, we must "be careful for nothing; but in every thing by prayer" (Philippians 4:6). God's promise of peace comes through prayer.

Other Verses for Study: Psalm 29:11; Isaiah 26:3; John 14:27; Ephesians 2:13, 14

1. What kind of peace does God give? _____
2. How do we get peace with God? _____
3. How do we get the peace of God? _____

"Peace is not the absence of conflict but the presence of God no matter the conflict."